



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
MICHAEL S. BOTTOM ET AL.) Art Unit:	3617
Application No. 10/082,752) Examiner:	Jason B. Bellinger
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For: JOINT ASSEMBLY TO RESIST GALLING)	
Attorney Docket No. 99-431.1)	
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Peoria, Illinois 61629-6490

February 9, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated 11/20/2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

